

Community Development Fall 2010 Courses

C Dev 503: Community Development I: Principles & Strategies of Community Change (3 credits) Taught by Iowa State University

Course Dates: August 23rd – December 17th, 2010

Analysis of principles and practices of community change and development. Use of case studies to relate community development approaches to conceptual models from diverse disciplines. Exploration of professional practice principles, and student construction of their personal framework for practicing community development. This course is required before taking other core courses.

Textbook information:

Rural Communities: Legacy and Change 3rd edition (Flora and Flora) 2008, Westview Press. ISBN: 9780813343778.

Keller, Suzanne. 2003. Community: Pursuing the Dream, Living the Reality. Princeton: Princeton University Press. ISBN 0-691-09564-7 (paperback).

Instructor: Cornelia Flora; cflora@iastate.edu

Course Website: <http://www.agde.iastate.edu/course/viewCourse.php?courseID=F2010C DEV503 XF>

C Dev 520: Orientation to Community Development (1 credit) Taught by Iowa State University

Course Dates: August 23rd – November 12th, 2010

Introduction to the Community Development program. Focus on on-line delivery methods, graduate level research and writing, technology skills.

Textbook information: *No text is required*

Instructor: Mary Emery; memery@iastate.edu

Course Website: <http://www.agde.iastate.edu/course/viewCourse.php?courseID=F2010C DEV520 XF>

C DEV 522: Community Leadership and Capacity Building (3 Credits) Taught by Iowa State University

Course Dates: August 23rd – December 17th, 2010

Defining leadership and applying it to work. Understanding of potential link between leadership and community capacity. Identifying strategies for leadership development in communities.

Textbook Information: Students will be required to select a text from a list of approved choices, which they will receive from the instructor after the start of the term

Instructor: Mary Emery; memery@iastate.edu

Course Website: <http://www.agde.iastate.edu/course/viewCourse.php?courseID=F2010C DEV522 XF>

C DEV 590X: Special Topics in Community Development (1-3 Credits) Taught by Iowa State University

Course Dates: August 23rd – December 17th, 2010

Independent study in Community Development, must work with faculty members to decide what you are going to study for the semester.

Textbook Information: None Required.

Instructor Information: Mary Emery; memery@iastate.edu

Course Website: <http://www.agde.iastate.edu/course/viewCourse.php?courseID=F2010C DEV590XXF>

C DEV 599: Creative Component (1-6 Credits) Taught by Iowa State University

Course Dates: August 23rd – December 17th, 2010

The capstone of the degree program will involve either a written thesis or a creative component option. All courses must be completed as a prerequisite before enrolling in this course. Students will work individually with their creative component advisors to demonstrate mastery of the degree program's course of study. Prerequisite: All course work must be completed before enrolling.

Textbook Information: None Required

Instructor Information: Cornelia Flora; cflora@iastate.edu

Course Website: <http://www.agde.iastate.edu/course/viewCourse.php?courseID=F2010C DEV599 XF>
